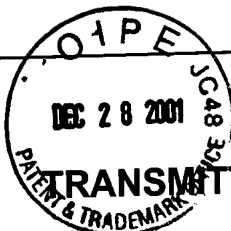


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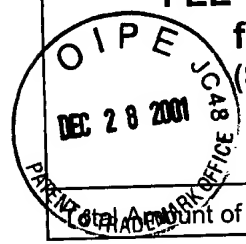
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- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ Payment Enclosed:
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## **FEE CALCULATION**

### **1. FILING FEE**

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
201	370	Utility filing fee	[ ]
206	165	Design Filing Fee	[ ]
207	255	Plant Filing Fee	[ ]
208	370	Reissue Filing Fee	[ ]
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### **2. CLAIMS**

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205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[ ]
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139	130	Non-English specification	[ ]
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[ ]
112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[ ]
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[ ]
215	55	Extension for reply within first month	[ 55.00 ]
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218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	[ ]
228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	[ ]
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220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[ ]
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138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[ ]
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### AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 28 August 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claim 1 as found on the following page.

Marked-up copies of the original text of the amended specification and claims are attached to this amendment. Material inserted is indicated by underlining and material deleted is indicated by brackets.